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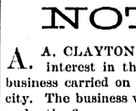
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THE ADJOURNED ANNUAL MEETING will be held at Dr. Quinlan's office on Friday next, 27th instant, at 8 p. m. As the election of officers for the ensuing year will take place, a large attendance of members is requested. The Club will commence their Summer practice at Beacon Hill on Monday next, 23rd inst., at 7 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all interested in Lacrosse to be present.
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OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

The Member for Cariboo Spoken of for the Vacant Senatorship.

Uniforms for the Artillery—The New Drill Shed—Infantry Corps for the Okanagon District—Our Senior Member Scores a Point—Dominion Doings.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, April 21.—The week's work in parliament has been fairly important and good progress has been made with government measures. After a futile and fruitless kick on the part of the Opposition against the fisheries' treaty the ratification bill got its second and third readings and was sent up to the senate, where it will be considered next week. The demoralization which has seized upon the liberal party is evidenced by the fact that, while protesting against the treaty as a total surrender of Canada's rights, they had not the courage to divide the house on a single clause of the treaty. I am bound to say that a few grits—and men competent to judge of the question—admit that Sir Chas. Tupper has made a splendid bargain for Canada, and probably in their inmost hearts the other members of "the pirty" think so too, but as they say: "It would never do to admit that, you know, so we must make a show of fighting." The show was a very poor one, but just such as might be expected from the present opposition with such leaders as Edgar and McMullen.

A MOUNTED INFANTRY CORPS FOR B. C.

Yesterday, Major Prior and Mr. Mara had an interview with the minister of militia, in which they strongly represented the advisability of establishing a mounted infantry corps in Okanagon district. It was pointed out to Sir Adolphe that there was excellent material in the district to form the nucleus of such a corps, and that the residents of the locality were eager for its establishment. The minister thought the expense would be considerable, but said he would have pleasure in laying the matter before his colleagues.

THE VACANT B. C. SENATORSHIP.

It seems probable that an appointment to the vacant British Columbia senatorship will be made before the end of the session. It is pretty generally conceded that Mr. Reid, the member for Cariboo, will be the lucky man, but it is hardly likely that the government will open the constituency in the middle of the session. Since entering parliament in 1881, as successor of "Cariboo" Thompson, he has devoted himself assiduously to further the interests of British Columbia generally and of his constituency in particular, in the federal parliament. Though naturally a quiet man and somewhat reserved, he has achieved a marked degree of popularity in the house and his appointment, if made, will be acceptable to all parties. The name of Mr. Chisholm is also mentioned in connection with the vacancy.

MILITIA MATTERS.

Major Prior this week has strongly represented to the Minister of Militia the necessity of granting additional uniforms to the British Columbia Artillery. He is also endeavoring to secure an appropriation in the supplementary estimates for the construction of a new drillshed in Victoria.

A PROHIBITIONISTS' WATERLOO.

Thursday last will long be remembered as a disastrous day in the annals of the prohibition movement in Canada. The revulsion of feeling in regard to the Scott Act, which the vote in nine Ontario counties indicated is perfectly marvellous, the more so when it is remembered that the act was adopted in the nine counties by tremendous majorities. Now, the act is pulverized, paralyzed, smashed. One reason alone seems to commend itself to the public for the great change which Thursday's vote indicates, viz., that the Scott Act gave us a prohibition that did not prohibit. There were defects in the act which the senate refused to wipe out and the provincial authorities, upon whom the duty of carrying into effect the provisions of the law devolved, did so in but a half-hearted manner. Temperance men need not, however, be discouraged by the recent set back. Let them gird up their loins and fight for total prohibition—not for an abortive measure, which while prohibiting the sale did not prohibit the manufacture—and the day of emancipation from the thraldom of the whiskey ring must soon dawn.

BAKER TO THE RESCUE.

It takes a British Columbia member to keep the house in order. Last night Mr. Baker knocked out the opponents of an important private bill, which has been a great bone of contention here for several days past, as clean as if he had directed a cannon ball from the desk of the Niobe. It came about in this wise. The two big rival railway corporations, the C. P. R. and the Grand Trunk, have been respectively supporting and opposing the bill to charter the Southwestern railway, a small line in the vicinity of Montreal, which would enable the Canadian Pacific to enter the Grand Trunk's territory and permit them to compete with the latter for the New York trade. In the railway committee the Pacific were sustained by fifteen majority, both companies having lobbied extensively. In the commons last night the six months' hoist was voted down by a majority of thirty-one. Mr. Curran thereupon moved an amendment to the motion for the third reading that the bill do not come into effect until May 1st, 1890. Mr. Baker at once rose and called the speaker's attention to the house rule that no important amendment to a private bill can be made unless one day's previous notice is given. Mr. Speaker held the objection to be a fatal one and ruled the amendment out. The bill was thereupon read a third time and passed.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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PROROGATION.

Closing of the Second Session of the Fifth Parliament.

The closing ceremonies in connection with the prorogation of the legislature were held yesterday afternoon at three o'clock. At that hour had assembled all hon. members, except Hon. A. E. B. Davie and Messrs. Mason and Humphreys, absent through illness. Among those present were: Sir M. B. Begbie, C. J.; Judge Harrison, U. S. Consul Stevens, Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge, Archdeacon Scriven, Rev. P. Jenns, Revs. Dr. Reid, Donald Fraser, J. E. Starr, D. McRae and M. L. Rugg, Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. Glenny Anderson, Mrs. Pooley, the Misses Dunsmuir, Mrs. James Baker, Mrs. Theo. Davie and the Misses Sparrow, the Misses Jenns, Miss Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Harwood, Mr. and Mrs. Kaye, M. Davies, Judge Atkinson and many others.

A detachment from "C" Battery, under Major Peters, was drawn up on the lawn in front of the legislative hall, together with their band.

Prayers having been offered by Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge, the coming of His Honor, Lieutenant-Governor Nelson was announced by the strains of "God Save the Queen." His Honor was preceded by the Sergeant-at-Arms, carrying the mace, and was accompanied by Secretary Stanton, Capt. Vankoughnet, Lieut.-Colonel Holmes and Capt. Benson.

Upon taking his seat, Mr. T. Fell, clerk of the house, read the title of the following bills:

An act to amend the "justices of the peace and coroners' oaths act, 1874."

An act relating to pawnbrokers.

An act to repeal an act, chap. 33 of 1887, intituled "an act for the preservation of the peace within the municipal limits of the city of Vancouver."

An act to constitute county judge's criminal courts.

An act respecting the "married woman's property acts."

An act to enable foreign mining companies to carry on business in British Columbia.

An act respecting the changing of the names of incorporated companies.

An act for increasing the efficiency of county courts.

An act to amend the "assize court act, 1885."

An act to prevent the spreading of noxious weeds.

An act to aid the Nicola mining company, limited, of London, to hold lands in the province of British Columbia, and for other purposes.

An act to incorporate the Kootenay railway and navigation company.

An act to amend the "municipality amendment act, 1887."

An act to incorporate the city of New Westminster.

An act to incorporate the Crow's Nest and Kootenay Lake Railway Company.

An act to further amend the "Land registry ordinance, 1870."

An act to incorporate the Harrison Hot Springs tramway company, limited.

An act for the relief of the settlers and owners of land upon Matsqui Prairie.

An act to enable the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company to construct a branch line to Beecher Bay.

An act to amend "An act respecting absconding debtors."

An act to further extend the powers of trustees.

An act to extend the provisions of the "Bridges protection act, 1864," to the Mainland of British Columbia.

An act to amend "An act to provide for the better protection of cattle ranges."

An act to amend the "Coal mines regulation act, 1877."

An act to amend the "Trial of controverted elections act, 1871."

An act to amend the "Game protection act, 1887."

An act to amend the "Land act, 1884."

An act for the benefit of mechanics and laborers.

An act for the protection of workmen's wages.

An act to amend the "Licences ordinance, 1867," and amending acts.

An act respecting recognizances.

An act to amend the "Public school act, 1885," and amending acts.

An act to assess, levy, and collect taxes on property and income.

An act to further amend the "Companies' Act, 1878."

An act to amend the "city of Victoria official map act, 1880."

An act to amend the "Municipality act, 1881," and amending acts.

An act in relation to civil procedure.

An act to amend the law relating to the sale or use of poisons.

An act to amend the "Bills of sale ordinance, 1870."

An act granting to the Esquimalt and Nanaimo railway company certain lands for right of way and terminal purposes for Beecher bay branch.

An act respecting a grant of land for right of way and terminal purposes to the Crow's Nest and Kootenay Lake railway company, British Columbia.

An act to amend the "Sheriffs' act, 1873," and amending acts.

An act to amend certain statutes.

An act to extend the provisions of "An act to authorize the granting of a certain subsidy for, and in aid of, the construction of the Shuswap and Okanagon railway."

An act to aid in the further development of quartz mines.

An act to authorize the granting of a certain land subsidy for, and in aid of, the Kootenay railway.

An act to adjust the rights of settlers on the former townsite of Granville.

His Honor was pleased, in Her Majesty's name, to give assent to these bills.

The same was announced by the clerk of the House, in the following words: "In Her Majesty's name, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor doth assent to these bills."

Mr. Speaker then addressed His Honor, as follows:

May it please Your Honor: We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the province of British Columbia, in session assembled, approach Your Honor at the close of our labors with sentiments of unfeigned devotion and loyalty to Her Majesty's person and government, and humbly beg to present for Your Honor's acceptance a bill entitled "An act for granting certain sums of money for the public service of the province of British Columbia."

To this bill the clerk of the Legislative Assembly, by His Honor's command, did thereupon say: "In Her Majesty's name, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor doth thank Her Majesty's loyal subjects, accept their benevolence, and assent to this bill."

Then His Honor delivered the following speech:

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

I am glad that the state of the public business now enables me to close this somewhat protracted session, but before relieving you from further attendance I desire to express my appreciation of the careful attention you have given to the several subjects placed before you for consideration.

The provision you have made for promoting the development of the great quartz resources of the province will it is hoped, lead to satisfactory results; the important measure dealing with our valuable timber lands, while carefully guarding the interests of those engaged in that important industry, promises a substantial increase to the public revenue; the measures relating to the administration of justice, taken in connection with the appointment of additional county court judges, will, I feel assured, materially conduce to efficiency and economy in that branch of the public service.

The amendment to the public school act will doubtless meet with general approval, designed, as it is, to slightly relieve the public revenue of a constantly increasing burden for education, without interfering with the freedom and efficiency of our liberal common school system.

I have every confidence that these and other measures will contribute to the prosperity of the province.

I have to thank you for the liberal provision you have made for the public service, and to assure you that every care will be taken to administer the various sums with due regard to economy and efficiency.

In now relieving you from further attendance, I desire to express the earnest hope that our mutual labors for the advancement of the best interests of this portion of the Dominion may be crowned with abundant success.

Hon. Mr. Robson, provincial secretary, then said:

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

It is His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor's will and pleasure that the Legislative Assembly be prorogued until Thursday, the twenty-eight day of June next, to be then here holden; and this Provincial Legislative Assembly is accordingly prorogued until Thursday, the twenty-eight day of June next.

His Honor then retired, and the proceedings of the session of 1888 were brought to a close.

CABLE NEWS.

A Generous Offer.

LONDON, April 28.—Sir A. Walker, of Liverpool, has offered to subscribe £200,000 for the building of a cathedral at Liverpool.

President Carnot Holds a Reception.

PARIS, April 28.—President Carnot attended the performance at the Grand theatre in Bordeaux last evening and was enthusiastically received by the audience. The president afterwards held a reception. Deputy Saynal introduced a deputation of electors and spoke in condemnation of the plebiscitory intrigue. President Carnot, in reply, said it was his first intention to direct the republic in the paths of wisdom and progress. An interpolation will be submitted in the chamber of deputies to-day, respecting the arrest of forty persons who engaged in the demonstration in favor of Boulanger. After the latter's departure from the banquet last night. The *Siecle* says: Boulanger's protests of love for the republic are only a disguise used to accomplish his ends. It declares that his speech at last night's banquet was really a pretender's manifesto.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Railroad Accident.

OLEAN (N.Y.), April 28.—A Western New York and Pennsylvania train going south was ditched this morning near the White House, six miles from here. Four persons were killed and thirty injured.

Short in His Accounts.

COLUMBUS (Ohio), April 28.—Great excitement was caused here this morning on the discovery of a shortage in the accounts of cashier Corseillano of the South End bank. A run started on the bank immediately upon opening the doors which it withstood for some time, but finally closed the doors. The amount of shortage is $15,000, for which he has given security on property valued at $41,000.

Capsized and Drowned.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 28.—A son of Wm. Bent, saloonkeeper of this city, was drowned this afternoon at Tiburon ferry slip by the capsizing of his boat.

Three Strikers Shot.

GALESBURG, Ills., April 28.—A Chicago, Burlington & Quincy fireman named Hedburg, to-night, shot and instantly killed a striker named Newell. He also shot two others, but not dangerously. Hedburg claims that he did the shooting in self-defence.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

While a School Exhibition is in Progress the Floor Gives Way With a Frightful Crash—Two Killed and a Number Seriously Injured.

[Special to THE COLONIST.]

BELLEFONTAINE, O., April 28.—A terrible accident occurred at Rushsylvania last night. A school exhibition was in progress at Brookman's Hall, which is in the second story of a brick building. The hall seats four hundred people, and was crowded to its utmost capacity, when suddenly, without the slightest warning, the floor gave way with a frightful crash. It seemed to sink in the centre, funnel shaped, and the entire audience went down *en masse* to the ground floor, a distance of twenty feet. All the physicians in the town were immediately summoned. So far the dead are Mrs. J. E. Alexander, wife of a minister, and Mrs. Garwood, of Bellefontaine. There are seventy-five, more or less, seriously injured. A number of ladies and children were taken out, some of them unhurt, with their clothing completely torn off.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Gorge Road Church—Services at 11 and 7 o'clock. Rev. J. E. Starr will preach in the morning and Rev. J. W. Wadman in the evening. Subject for evening: "The hard worked mechanic." All tradesmen and tradeswomen are cordially invited.

Reformed Episcopal Church—Services to-day at the usual hours of public worship, to be conducted (D. V.) by the Right Rev. Bishop Cridge and Rev. Dr. Reid. Sunday school in the afternoon at 2:45 o'clock. Weekly service on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

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OUR CABLE LETTER.

Fears Entertained That the Government Cannot Stand Long on the Policy of Coercion.

The Composition of the Irish National League and Its Effects---The Pope's Interference.

Bismarck's Conduct on the Marriage of Princess Victoria to Alexander Criticised.

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LONDON, April 28.—The ministers recently smiled at the request of Sir Edward Watkin, that they should propound their policy of the government for Ireland before the end of the session, but they are now thoroughly alarmed by the same demand being made by Lord Randolph Churchill. Both Sir Edward Watkin and Churchill undoubtedly expressed the winding opinion in assenting that the government cannot stand long on coercion. Gladstone regards both incidents as very significant, and feels sure if the government does not reform their policy there will be a larger movement of dissentient liberals in the direction of home rule. Irish members say with irresistible logic that the government has no right to demand any particular attitude from them in advance of their measure. It is only upon the production of the government's proposals that they can be asked to say whether they would be accepted in a loyal spirit. Lord Randolph Churchill's speech continues to be very much talked of, and there is exactly that kind and degree of murmuring by liberal dissentients against the government, which Gladstone, doubtless, calculated that Lord Randolph would raise. Dissentients say that unless the government drops coercion and brings forward an Irish local government measure, a way will be opened with some urgency for a

REUNION OF THE DISSENTIENTS

and liberals. Concerning this, a leading unionist said to-day: "If the government stands firm upon their policy of no reform for Ireland it must lead to a speedy restoration of the liberal party as a whole to power. Irish members cannot accept any compromise except from Gladstone. They owe him too much to listen to his rival. No other man, certainly not even Parnell, could reduce the Irish terms on the home rule question. In fact, he is the only person who could dictate a compromise. Dissentients will not follow the government in a *non-possumus* and there will be, in fact from to-day there is, no tendency to a conciliation which will be accomplished if the government persist in carrying out their present policy."

A fear is expressed by many Irish nationalists that Mgr. Persico's report to Pope Leo regarding Ireland, has been largely in the nature of a complaint against an over-zealous but too effusive ecclesiastics and curates, particularly into whose hands the management of the national league has been gradually passing since 1885, is but too true. When priests were made *ex-officio* members of the convention called to select parliamentary candidates

SOME VERY FAR-SEEING MEN

like Davitt and John O'Leary felt little confidence in the success of the experiment. The process rapidly ran its course, and soon the priests took up active direction and control of the whole government. This return of the priests to practical activity had two immediate effects, it secured Parnell's easy march through Celtic Ireland in 1885, and as a natural outcome of that triumph it further secured the return of the nominees in conventions without the slightest show of dissension or dissatisfaction, so far all was well, but in Ulster the effect was decidedly bad. Distrust and jealousy at once set in, and the Orange faction raised the cry that home rule meant Rome rule. The fear was unfounded, though apparently natural, but another result entirely unlooked for by parliamentary managers was soon seen. Intrigues at the Roman court, which had been suspended for a time, began again. With the return of the clergy to secular politics came an avalanche of complaints at the doors of the Vatican, and

THE POPE WAS COMPELLED

to send a delegate to Ireland. When Mgr. Persico came to Ireland the Archbishop of Dublin allowed him to send and hear for himself, but the unionist Catholics drew up an address to the apostolic delegate, in which they lamented deeply of religion and appealed through him to the holy father to have a check put upon the more advanced and outspoken churchmen who had cast their lot with the league and the plan of campaign. The Parnellites are in no way depressed about the outcome of the papal inquiries. Restraining admonition can do no harm and the Pope's interference will likely extend no further than that.

France is undoubtedly on the eve of a great struggle between the liberal elements of its political life. The cause of national freedom and self control since the recent ministerial crisis is leading the republican organs to have expressed themselves with remarkable unanimity. They are agreed in attributing the success hitherto obtained by Boulanger to divisions in their own party and consequent weakness and vaccilation of the chamber of deputies. Still a number of moderate republicans, who supported Floquet, are now

DISSATISFIED WITH HIS RADICALISM.

Floquet's programme of the government to revise the constitution and to separate the church and state is an excellent profession of the radical faith, but the question is how far is it possible as a basis of the government in the existing condition of France. At the last general election held in France in 1885, only 86 of the successful candidates had declared in favor of a revision of the constitution and not more than 184 were favorable to the separation of the church and state. These figures show conclusively that French opinion is not ripe for legislative formulation of either ideas. In fact, Floquet must fall the moment he faces the chamber with a proposal for one or the other. Meanwhile he takes no decided stand on the question of Boulangerism and annoys the army by retaining Defrecinet, who has the disadvantage of being unpopular and a civilian, as minister of war. In these matters he has divided various shades of the republican party instead of uniting them. There is little doubt that

SOMETHING IS GOING ON UNSEEN

in the higher ranks of the army. It is nearly a year since a statement was published that a large number of generals had memorialized Boulanger, asking him to assume the dictatorship for certain specified purposes. The report was of course contradicted, but it is just one of those statements of which it is disagreeable to think might have had some foundation. In fact Boulanger is at present the most popular man in France and since the republicans are one and all extremely anxious, they complain bitterly that the cabinet has revived all the questions upon which the republicans are divided, instead of adopting a resolute policy against the revival of Caesarism. There are 300 senators and 584 deputies, and yet the government is put in that it has not 200 supporters out of the whole 884. The fact is the chamber is made up of sections so divided that a permanent majority is impossible.

A GENERAL ELECTION

at this time would merely give an opportunity to those who are seeking the plebiscite. Boulangerists cries of "dissolution," and revision will attract the votes, and to a great degree embarrass the government, whether it accepts or rejects them.

AFFAIRS IN THE BALKAN STATES

continues to grow more alarming, and each new event shows that a pro-Russian feeling is surely gaining ascendancy among the people of these states. Many leading diplomats do not hesitate to say that Bismarck's unnecessary deference to the Czar respecting the marriage of Prince Alexander of Battenburg to Princess Victoria, greatly strengthened Russia's position in the Balkans, as it has led to a majority of the people in Bulgarin, Roumania and Servia to believe that the German Chancellor yielded to the Czar's desires through fear. There is now a strong political circle in Germany, which believing that Bismarck made a fatal mistake in over-riding the personal inclination of Emperor Frederick's daughter in deference to the wishes of the Russian court, the cause of peace it is believed in this circle would have been immensely strengthened, if it had been made known at once that even as the Russian Czars and Grand Dukes have a perfect right to choose partners for life among the German Princesses, so also the German Kaiser's daughter must be free to give her hand to a German Prince, and the Czar should have been given to understand that the days were past when he could arrogate to himself a decisive voice in German councils.

CAPITAL NOTES.

The Finance Minister Delivers the Budget Speech.

The Estimated Deficit Turned Into a Surplus—Canada's Satisfactory Financial Standing—Senator McInnes Wants Representation in the Cabinet—The Grits Will Oppose the Monopoly Resolutions—Parliamentary Proceedings.

[From our Own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, April 27th.—Sir Charles Tupper delivered the budget speech to-day. He stated that the estimated deficit of the last fiscal year of $300,000 had been turned into a surplus of over $97,000; that the yield from customs during the present fiscal year to date was $227,000 less than for the same period in the last fiscal year; that the revenue from excise would show an increase, and that the income and expenditure would about balance each other. The estimate for the coming fiscal year of revenue was $36,900,000 and expenditure about the same. Notwithstanding the limitation of deposits in the government savings banks carried out during the present fiscal year, the deposits were larger and had increased in a marked degree for some of the poorer classes of the community, there having been an increase of over $10,000 by lumber depositors in the fiscal year. The government had determined not to subsidize for the present any new railways, and in order to pay the subsidies already promised a new loan bill would be introduced. He discussed the iron tariff and showed that a great development of the mining industry had resulted and that several important manufacturing enterprises connected with iron and steel had been developed and others were projected. He gave a large quantity of statistics to show the great development of interprovincial trade coasting. The trade had largely increased; the port of Halifax has an increase of tonnage of shipping carrying cargo equal to one hundred and twenty-five per cent in 1887 compared with the first year of confederation, and during the past ten years the tonnage of merchandise carried in and out of Halifax shows an increase of seventy-three per cent. The imports of sugar from the British West Indies during the last year had increased considerably, so that the Canadian sugar policy was benefiting that portion of the Empire. He criticized severely the idea of unrestricted reciprocity and said Canada had greater opportunities to develop trade with the United Kingdom than with the United States. He announced that the government did not propose to make any changes in the tariff.

Senator McInnes gives notice of a resolution that the British Columbia and the prairie section of Canada be entitled to a representation.

Mr. Ives proposed an amendment to the bucket-shop bill, limiting its scope.

The May term of the supreme court has been postponed, only four judges being available for duty. Judge Taschereau is in Paris, Judge Henry dying, and five constitute a *quorum*. The Opposition declined to grant urgency to the bill constituting four judges a *quorum*; consequently the court term is postponed.

A liberal caucus was held yesterday, and it was decided to oppose the Canadian Pacific monopoly resolution on the ground that the security was insufficient.

Senator Macdonald and Messrs. Baker and Prior will interview the Postmaster-General on Monday with reference to the Victoria-San Francisco subsidy.

There are a large number of aspirants for Cabinet positions, among them being Gov. Dewdney and Messrs. Davin Mcdowall and Brown.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Three thousand shoemakers and shipbuilders are out on strike in Berlin. The strike is extending to laborers of all trades.

In the May number of the *North American Review*, W. E. Gladstone defends the Christian faith against Col. Robert Ingersoll's attacks. The ex-premier describes himself as listening, across the Atlantic, to the clash of arms between Ingersoll and Dr. Field. Gladstone says that Ingersoll writes with rare and enviable brilliancy, but also with an impetus which he seems unable to control. The grand old man thinks that denunciation, sarcasm and invective are the staple of Ingersoll's works. Col. Ingersoll's scheme of argument seems to be in the line of glittering generalities, and argument is not seriously made from point to point.

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THE PROROGATION.

The second session of the fifth parliament of British Columbia is at an end. It was in many respects a most extraordinary one. Fifty-five days were consumed in transacting the business of the province, an unusual length of time, in comparison with the legislation which has been placed upon the statute book. Early in the session, it will be remembered, the leader of the Opposition took occasion to object to the remarks indulged in by members of the House and publicly voiced by the press, that the party which he is supposed to lead were responsible for the unseemly delay. He said that beyond the cost for fuel and light no additional expense would be entailed, quite forgetting that those members of the House who do not reside in Victoria were desirous of facilitating the work before them and returning to their homes at the earliest possible moment. Throughout the session Mr. Beaven, and at least two of his supporters, pursued a policy of obstruction which disgusted honorable members and those who were compelled to be witnesses to it. The Government throughout evidenced a desire to push along the business and to do the duty that lay next their hand in a prompt and faithful manner. They were met with a flood of personalities and coarse abuse, such as was never before known in the history of the Assembly. Every member of the Executive came in for his share, the President of the Council, whose public usefulness and stainless character should have shielded him from attack, being the chief target for low invective. Day after day epithets, which no gentleman would give utterance to, were hurled across the floor of the House at the Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir and most of his colleagues in the Executive, and on several occasions one of the members of the Opposition even went so far as to challenge supporters of the Government to fight the quarrel out after the fashion most approved in pugilistic circles. This was the conduct of some of the gentlemen to the left of Mr. Speaker, and in view of that fact the electors must place upon their shoulders all the blame for this protracted session. In the regretted absence from the House of the Premier, through illness, the responsibility of the duties of that arduous position devolved upon the Provincial Secretary, who discharged all its functions in such a manner as to leave nothing to be desired. As a minister he had already made his mark; as acting leader he more than fulfilled the expectations of his friends. Hon. Theodore Davie, who acted as Attorney-General in the absence of his brother, ably seconded the Premier, while the Hon. Mr. Turner, in his plain, practical budget speech, as in his position of Finance Minister generally, fully sustained the high reputation which had been formed of him. Hon. Mr. Vernon's thorough familiarity with the Lands and Works Department was testified to in a marked manner by his replies to honorable gentlemen on the other side of the House, and in the discussion of matters relating to it. That honest common sense, so characteristic of the President of the Council, had full play in legislating for the people's interests and in advancing the fortunes of this Province. Some forty-seven bills passed the House, not one of which can be successfully impugned. It would be impossible at this time to refer to all of them; at the best a few of the most important can be but briefly reviewed. The measures dealing with our timber lands promise a considerable increase in the revenue, and those relating to the administration of justice and the appointment of additional County Court judges will be acceptable to everybody. That enabling foreign mining companies to carry on business in British Columbia is calculated to materially assist in the development of our mines. No one doubts that British Columbia is a great mineral country; all that is wanted is capital to develope its hidden resources. This must come largely from outside the Province, and the passage of this bill facilitates its investment here. The act enabling the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Co. to construct a branch line to Beecher Bay, as also that granting the company certain lands for right of way and terminal purposes at that point are bills which no one, more especially the people of Victoria and Vancouver Island generally, will cavil at. They mean connection with the American railway system and increased prosperity for our island home. The amendments to the Coal Mines' Regulation Act, 1877, are in furtherance of the protection of our hardy coal miners, about whom too great safeguards, consistent with reason and constitutionality, cannot be placed. In the acts for the benefit of mechanics and laborers and for the protection of workmen's wages, a desire is shown to aid the workingman and to assist him in securing his fair wages in the most speedy and easy manner possible. The school bill amendments have been unfairly criticized by a portion of the press who will, we are confident, in time acknowledge that in hastily glancing over its provisions they entirely misunderstood it. We have every reason to believe that it will work smoothly, ensuring to us our invaluable High Schools and all the blessings of a liberal education. The act to aid in the further development of quartz mines will commend itself to the favorable consideration of the electors. The intention of the government to establish reduction works for the purpose of testing, on a working scale, the refractory gold ores of the province is a move in the right direction. These will probably be erected in Cariboo and Kootenay and cannot fail to largely aid the opening up of the valuable quartz ledges of the province. The act to adjust the rights of settlers on the former townsite of Granville will, it is hoped, be the means of doing justice to the squatters, and of putting an end to a long-standing dispute. These are but a few of the many useful measures passed by the House—it will be seen the long session was not barren of legislation—and it is hoped that as a result of their passage good will accrue to the province and its people. The Government comes out of the fight with flying colors—a solid, compact body confronted by a disorganized, disgruntled Opposition, which is weaker now than it ever was before. The more sensible men of the latter party have cast off their allegiance, and it is well-known hold in contempt some of the more active and belligerent members. These have displayed a picayunish, fault-finding policy, not in keeping with the position they occupy as the people's representatives. Hair-splitting, meaningless technicalities, bluster and braggadocio, these were the weapons of the "stalwart" portion of the Opposition. Using such arms it is little wonder that they failed to make any successful rents in their enemy's armor. If by the lesson they have been taught during the session that has just closed, they come to next year's with broader and more statesmanlike views, imbued by a sentiment that they in common with the government are the guardians of the people's rights and the instruments of their material advancement, the long, weary session of 1888 will not have been held in vain.

ESQUIMALT'S ADVANTAGES.

While our readers are being gratified with rumors concerning the intention of capitalists to establish large lumber mills in different parts of the province, it may be of some interest to the public to draw attention to the many advantages which the harbor of Esquimalt possesses as a site for such industries. Being the first port within the province reached from the sea, easy of access at all times and seasons, affording unequalled anchorage and protection to shipping in all weather, with water sufficiently deep for the largest ships afloat within a few feet of the shore, and with a water frontage of over four miles, it would appear strange that such great advantages and facilities have not long before this time been availed of by those who have already invested in industries of this kind in the province. But the explanation is easily made. In the early days of British Columbia the sawmill sites were selected in the immediate neighborhood of the most easily available supply of timber—at Burrard Inlet and Westminster on the mainland, and at Nanaimo, Chemainus, Cowichan and Sooke on the Island, where mills were established, all having advantages in this respect, and until the last few years having been able to furnish all the logs necessary to keep the mills working without having to draw supplies of the raw material from any place beyond the immediate neighborhood of where the mills were situated. Within the past few years, however, all this has been entirely changed. On Burrard Inlet, or within the limits of that spacious harbor, there is now not a single logging camp at work, and the supply of logs for all the large mills there is obtained from places to the north of the Inlet at distances ranging from fifty to one hundred and twenty miles. All the mills at this point depend upon these outside places, and have provided themselves with steamers for the special purpose of towing logs to the mills. At Westminster a very similar state of things exists, and, while a small part of the supplies of logs at this point may be obtained from the Fraser river, the largest proportion is obtained from places to the north and in the neighborhood of where the Burrard Inlet mills draw their supplies. For both points logs are furnished at Mud Bay, nearer to Esquimalt than to either Burrard Inlet or Westminster, and the risk of towage is no greater, thus clearly showing that the original advantages claimed for the position of any mill now established within the province have ceased to exist, and that the position of Esquimalt is more advantageous in every respect. The expense of towing logs from the islands in the Gulf of Georgia or the seaboard of the Mainland north of Burrard Inlet would not be attended with either greater risk or expense than to Burrard Inlet. By far the greater part of the best lumber is obtained from north of Texada Island, on Vancouver Island and islands in the Gulf and on the Mainland coast, and the same channel is followed in towing logs from any of these points, whether to Esquimalt, Burrard Inlet or Westminster, until the southern end of Taxada Island is reached, when the open gulf has to be used. The distance of open water from this point to Burrard Inlet or Westminster is nearly three times as great as it would be from the same point to the inland waters of Vancouver Island, through which the risk of loss is comparatively small. As at present, vessels bound for lumber cargoes to either Burrard Inlet, Chemainus or Westminster call either at Esquimalt or Port Townsend for a tug. This means delay, and in addition, the expense of towing is a serious item, and additional pilotage and risk of inland navigation have to be incurred, about which there is always much difficulty; and owners and masters of vessels are, we understand, constantly raising objections to these items when charters to Burrard Inlet are proposed to them. It is probably largely due to these additional expenses and the risk of reaching the Inlet that there are only two mills in this province now cutting for the export trade as compared with so many on Puget Sound, where these expenses are so much smaller. A mill at Esquimalt would avoid these difficulties in chartering vessels, whilst a saving of from fifty cents to one dollar per thousand feet on the vessel's capacity would be effected in towage; the risk of inland navigation would be avoided; the supplies of logs as cheaply brought to the mill, and with the additional advantage of having the Esquimalt and Nanaimo railway, which passes through some of the best timber lands in British Columbia, as a source from which to obtain logs. In view of the extension of this line to Beecher Bay to connect with the American system of railways, and the likelihood of lumber being admitted free into the United States, any one establishing mills at Esquimalt is placed in a position of the greatest advantage over competitors at any other point in British Columbia or on Puget Sound.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

THIS is too bad! The *Times* accuses Messrs. Dunsmuir and Allen of reading it.

THE Calgary *Tribune* ought to learn something about educational matters in British Columbia before writing such an absurd paragraph as that which appears in its latest issue to hand. From beginning to end it is silly in the extreme, and can only reflect on the intelligence of the writer. We would suggest to the editor that he study up the matter just a little, and then inform his readers, as he ought, that he attempted to grapple with a subject the true inwardness of which he had not taken the trouble to glean. There is an old saying that "Fools rush in where angels fear to tread," which might not be inapplicable in this instance.

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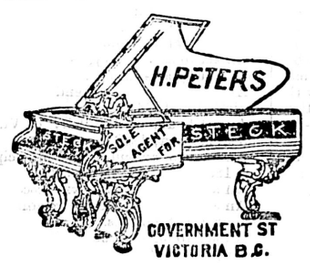
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WILLIAM WALKER.
March 17th, 1888. mr23-2m

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April 9th, 1888. JOHN PARTRIDGE.
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Victoria, B.C., 7th April, 1888. ap8-d6t-w2t

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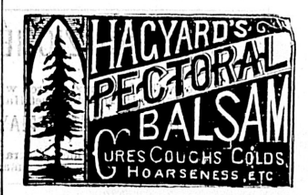
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A. McKELVIE,
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To the Editor:—I see by a letter in the *Times* of last night that some one else has suddenly been awakened by a paragraph in a previous issue to the unsatisfactory way in which the committee are delaying in coming to a decision on the above I suppose subscribers and competitors may consider themselves fortunate if the building is commenced by next Christmas, as it is now nearly five months since the drawings were submitted, and apparently the two sets of drawings are only accepted *provisionally*, as the remaining ones have not been returned to their owners, nor any notification been sent to them of their being rejected. Let us hope that they are considering the course suggested in a previous letter of deciding the competition on its own merits first, and awarding the prize to the one which gives them all they require in as compact and suitable a form as possible, and at the smallest cost; and then, if that does not give them as elaborate a building as they require and as might reasonably be expected for a jubilee hospital, let it be put to competition again on more reasonable terms or carried out any way they like, but the unfairness to competitors of the present decision is surely by this time manifest to all and does not need enlarging upon.

It is encouraging, however, to read the names of the new gentlemen whom the committee have called in to assist them in their decision, and it surely would not be amiss for them to include at least one competent and disinterested architect among their numbers.

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THE LOTTERY AND THE PRESS.

To the Editor,—I have noticed since my arrival in the province that the press of this and other cities publish instances of the success of some who invest in the Louisiana and other lotteries. A few days ago the case was mentioned of a man in this city who invested one dollar and got over $500. It would have been better for that man if he had never drawn a prise at all. The chances are ten to one that in after years he will date his ruin from that lucky (unlucky) draw. Doubtless his apparent good fortune will tempt others to invest in the same illegal enterprize, and they, too, will date their downfall from the day when they read the advertisement in the Victoria papers.

I know as a fact, Mr. Editor, that many young men and women are in the habit of investing in the Louisiana lottery, and I know also as a fact, that some columns are eagerly scanned by them for just such paragraphs as that to which I refer. As a man of family I ask you to decline to allow your columns to be used for the purpose of indirectly advertising these pernicious gambling ventures. I have in my hand an eastern newspaper in which there appears a paragraph which I deem so germane to the question that I have cut it out and send it to you. How is it, Sir, that we never hear of the thousands who invest in the lottery and get nothing? Only those who win are ever heard of.

Not a Purist.

[The Colonist never publishes Louisiana lottery advertisements, nor the winning numbers.—Ed.]

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THE SCHOOL BILL.

To the Editor—Of the new school bill that has been recently passed in the legislature, clause 10 is the only part which has been much discussed outside the capital, and it is with reference to this "obnoxious clause" that I propose to make some suggestions and inquiries. I may premise that I agree with those persons who maintain that, in the present circumstances of the province, the high schools ought to be self-supporting, on the ground that it is only the residents of the towns in which these schools are located who derive any benefit from them. It is quite right then that the residents of the cities should bear the exclusive cost of them. But if the act was aimed at the high schools, why are they not expressly mentioned and the government assistance distinctly withdrawn from them? I can imagine several reasons why this was not done: it might be alleged by the gentlemen connected with the education department that if the high schools were severed from the public school system, the whole character of public education would be lowered. There would be no more high school entrance examination, etc. The higher education of the province would be entirely outside the public school system, and the government could exercise no supervision over it. There were, no doubt, good and sufficient causes for attaining the desired result indirectly, but as I take them to be legitimate and adequate, I think it would have been better if they had been publicly and authoritatively stated, but I have seen no such statement, and the absence of any explanation has given occasion to opponents to allege that the government were attacking the free school system.

The government express alarm at the immense increase of the cost of education, but this too rapid augmentation might be checked by increasing the average attendance entitling the country districts to schools. The average of ten pupils is too small. Moreover, it is very often not a true average, because children under age are sent to school to eke out the required number.

With respect to the provision that one-third of the salaries should be paid by the municipalities; in some places, as Nanaimo, this proposition would include more than the cost of the high school, but in others, as Victoria, perhaps it would be much less. Now, of course, the government were obliged to fix some average, but it is obvious that as the towns grow and circumstances change, proportion will have to be from time to time readjusted; that is, if the law is meant to insure merely the self-supporting character of the high schools.

Although there has been considerable hostile criticism in some of the papers, no great opposition to the bill has been manifested throughout the community, even in the cities, because it is understood that part of the expense will be defrayed by exacting fees from those who attend the high schools, and it is generally seen that the families who chiefly derive advantage from the high schools belong to the middle class and can well afford to pay these fees. The children of the laboring class do not go to these schools even if they pass the entrance examination, simply because their parents cannot afford to keep them at home so long; they are forced to set them to work. This makes one recur to my former suggestion that it would have been better to state why the high schools are not explicitly mentioned, and to give assurance that the proportion demanded from the municipalities would be merely sufficient on the average to meet the expenses of those particular schools.

There are always a number of radical politicians who are ready on all occasions to get up a hue and cry about public education. The people are refused education, they proclaim. One would suppose the people were panting and yearning for education, which is cruelly denied them by the wealthy classes. This does not appear to be the case, judging from the ratio of the average attendance to the number of children enrolled. In this province some years ago it was only 53 per cent., and in neighboring countries the average is equally low.

In the United States in 1884 the school population was 16,794,402. Of these 10,738,192 were enrolled; and of this number there was an average attendance of 6,693,928; that is, one-third of the school population was out of school altogether, and only three-fifths of those enrolled were in attendance. Nor were the absent children in private schools, for in that year the attendance at private schools was only 605,517. Such facts as these show how little the mass of the people appreciate the educational advantages which are placed within their reach.

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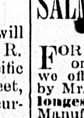
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NOTICE.

In the Estate and Effects of Robert B. Thompson, Dentist, late of Victoria, B. C., deceased.

TAKE NOTICE, THAT ALL PERSONS indebted to this Estate are hereby required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and, all persons who may have any claims against the said estate are required to send the same on or before the 1st day of May, 1888, to

J. G. RICHARDS, Jr.,
Administrator.
Victoria, B. C., April 15th, 1888. ap17.

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Board per week, $1.50	Board per day, - $1.00
Board & Lodging, 6.00 and upwards, according to room.	Beds, - 25c. and 50c., and upwards, according to room,

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NOTICES.

TO CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS.

SEALED TENDERS are invited, up to the 20th inst., for the erection of an Indian Agency House at Alert Bay.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the Indian Office by applying to

Victoria, B.C., ASHDOWN H. GREEN.
April 6th, 1888. ap7-td

NOTICE.

A SITTING OF THE COUNTY COURT OF Kootenay will be held at Donald, on Thursday, the 26th day of April, 1888.

By command,
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
20th March, 1888. mr21-1mo

TAX NOTICE.

ASSESSED and Provincial Revenue Taxes for the year 1888 are due and payable at my office, Treasury, James Bay.

Real Property Tax, if paid on or before June 30th, ½ of 1 per cent.

Personal Property Tax, if paid on or before June 30th, ⅓ of one per cent.

Income Tax, if paid on or before June 30th, ½ of one per cent.

Wild Land Tax, if paid on or before June 30th 7½ cents per acre.

Real Property Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, ⅝ of one per cent.

Personal Property Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, ½ of one per cent.

Income Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, ¾ of one per cent.

Wild Land Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, 8½ cents per acre.

Provincial Revenue Tax, in each case, *per capita*, $3.00.

C. BOOTH,
Assessor and Collector.
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NOTICE.

LILLOOET FERRY.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Tuesday, 1st of May next, for the right of maintaining and operating a ferry across the Fraser River at Lillooet for a term of one year.

All the Government ferry plant will be placed at the disposal of the contractor for use in plying the ferry.

The limits of the ferry shall extend four miles above and four miles below the line of the wire cable.

Tenders must state the sum proposed to be paid to the Government for the privilege, and the rate of toll proposed to be collected for every—

Passenger,
Loaded animal,
Unloaded animal,
Freight waggon,
Spring waggon or buggy,
Head of cattle or horses,
Sheep, pig or goat,
One hundred pounds of freight.

The toll to be collected upon mining machinery shall not exceed one-half the rate to be charged for ordinary freight.

All officers of the Provincial Government, with their animals and freight, to pass free.

With each tender must be submitted the names of two responsible residents of the Province who are willing to sign a bond for the sum of $500, as security for the faithful carrying out of the contract.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria B. C., April 7th, 1888. ap8

Provincial Secretary's Office,
22nd March, 1888.

HIS HONOR the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following Rules of Court:—

1. There shall be a vacation in the Supreme Court from Thursday the 29th day of March, 1888, to Saturday the 7th day of April, 1888, both days inclusive, during which vacation no pleading shall be delivered or cause tried.

2. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the delivery of pleadings or trial of causes triable or proposed to be tried elsewhere than at Victoria, New Westminster or Nanaimo.

3. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the trials in vacation when such trials have been ordered before the commencement of such vacation, nor with any trial the hearing whereof has been begun before the commencement of such vacation, nor with the delivery of any judgment where such matter has been argued before the commencement of the vacation, nor with the taxation of costs and the signing of judgments.

4. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with applications for judgment under Rule 75 of the Supreme Court Rules, 1880.

5. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the right of appeal to the Divisional Court from any interlocutory order, or the refusal of any interlocutory order.

6. These rules may be cited as the "Easter Vacation Rules, 1888."

By Command.
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
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NOTICE.

SITTINGS OF THE COUNTY COURT OF Cariboo will be held:—

At Lillooet,	on Wednesday,	30th May, 1888.
At Clinton,	on Wednesday,	13th June, 1888.
At 150-Mile House,	on Thursday,	28th June, 1888.
At Soda Creek,	on Saturday,	30th June, 1888.
At Richfield,	on Friday,	6th July, 1888.

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
16th April, 1888. ap20-td

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that, 60 days after date, I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase eight (8) acres, more or less, of unsurveyed, unreserved and unoccupied land, situated in Sooke District, Vancouver Island, Province of British Columbia, and more particularly described and bounded as follows: Commencing at the corner post at the northeast corner of Section eighty-one (81); thence south eleven (11) chains, to a post on the seashore marked "G. S., S. W. cor.)"; thence following the sinuosities of the sea-shore to the south post of the Indian reserve on Creyke Point; thence north to the north post of the said Indian reserve; and thence following the sinuosities of the sea-shore to the point of commencement.

GEORGE SCHMITH.
Victoria, B. C., April 26th, 1888. ap27

RAILWAYS.

Esquimalt and Nanaimo R'y

TIME TABLE No. 7,

To take effect at 8.20 a.m. on Wednesday, April 25th, 1888. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

Going South, read up: No. 3 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.	Going South, read up: No. 1 Passenger Daily.	Stations.	Going North, read down: No. 1 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.	Going North, read down: No. 2 Passenger Daily.
Ar 7.00 P.M	Ar 1.04 P.M	VICTORIA	De 3.32 P.M	De 8.20 A.M
" 6.56	" 1.00	RUSSELL'S, Vic. W	" 3.36	" 8.24
" 6.46	" 12.50	ESQUIMALT	" 3.46	" 8.34
" 6.21	" 12.23 P.M	GOLDSTREAM	" 4.11	" 9.01
" 5.26	" 11.28	SHAWNIGAN L'E	" 5.06	" 9.56
" 5.16	" 11.16	COBBLE HILL	" 5.16	" 10.08
" 5.01	" 10.59	McPHERSON'S	" 5.31	" 10.25
" 4.51	" 10.47	KOKSILAH	" 5.41	" 10.37
" 4.46	" 10.42	DUNCAN'S	" 5.46	" 10.42
" 4.36	" 10.32	SOMENOS	" 5.56	" 10.52
" 4.14	" 10.06	CHEMAINUS	" 6.18	" 11.18
	De 9.04	NANAIMO		Ar 12.20 P.M
" 3.16	Ar 8.55		" 7.16	De 12.29
De 3.01	De 8.40 A.M	WELLINGTON	Ar 7.31	Ar 12.44

CHEAP RATES.

Until further notice Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare will be issued to any point on the line, good for three days, including the day of issue.

R. DUNSMUIR, President.
JOSEPH HUNTER, Gen'l Superintenden
H. K. PRIOR, Gen. Freight and Passenger Agt.
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Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company

LAND DEPARTMENT.

Notice to Claimants under the "Act Relating to the Island Railway, the Graving Dock and Railway Lands of the Province":

The Company is now prepared to issue Conveyances of Title to all claimants entitled to the same under the provisions of the above Act, and who have fulfilled the Requirements of the British Columbia "Land Act, 1884."

R. DUNSMUIR,
President.
JOHN TRUTCH,
Land Commissioner.
Victoria, B.C., July 25th, 1887.
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Reservations an be secured in advance.

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Be careful and do not make a mistake, bu be sure to take the

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Through Emigrant Sleeping Cars run on regular express trains full length of the line. Berths free. Lowest rates. Quickest time.

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ORDERS MAY BE LEFT AT PORTER Market, Douglas St., cor. of Johnson. se17-lyr

DOHERTY & SMILOW,

General :-: Scavengers.

Yards, and Cesspools Cleaned, Wells Dug an Cleaned Contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Mr. G. Doughty, corner Blanchard & Forts streets, or Bossi & Giesselman Yates street, will be promptly attended to.

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SHIPS AND STEAMERS.



DURING MY ABSENCE FROM VICTORIA

COWAN, SHAW & CO.

Will act as my agents for steamer LOTTIE.

G. BYRNES.

Notice to Steamers.

—RAILWAY—

SWING BRIDGE.

Captains of Tugs or Steamers are hereby given notice that FOUR sharp whistles are required as a signal for opening the E. & N. Railway SWING BRIDGE across Victoria Harbor. apr1

Puget Sound Steamers of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Co.

In effect February 26th, and until further notice

STEAMERS

OLYMPIAN and ALASKAN

BETWEEN

TACOMA AND VICTORIA,

AS FOLLOWS:

To Victoria, Ex. Sun.		From Victoria, Ex. Sun.	
Lv Tacoma	b 8.30 a.m	Lv Victoria	5.00 a.m
Ar Seattle	10.30 a.m	Ar Pt. Towns'd	8.00 a.m
Lv Seattle	10.45 a.m	Lv Pt. Towns'd	9.00 a.m
Ar Pt. Towns'd	2.00 p.m	Ar Seattle	12.15 p.m
Lv Pt. Towns'd	2.30 p.m	Lv Seattle	3.30 p.m
Ar Victoria	5.30 p.m	Ar Tacoma	a 5.30 p.m

STEAMERS

Olympian, Alaskan or Emma Hayward

Between TACOMA & SEATTLE, as follows:

To Seattle. (Daily.)

Leave Tacoma..... *a* 8.30, 10 a.m., and 6.45 p.m.
Arrive Seattle..... 10.30 a.m., 12.15 and 9.00 p.m.

From Seattle. (Daily.)

Leave Seattle..... 3.00 a.m., 1.00 and 3.30 p.m.
Arrive Tacoma..... *b*5.15 a.m., 3.15 and 5.30 p.m.

(*a*) Connect at Tacoma with N. P. Trains for Portland and Eastern Points via "Switchback" or Columbia River Route.

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Steamers Geo. E. Starr and Idaho,

Between SEATTLE and WHATCOM daily, Except Sunday. Str. Idaho carrying U. S. Mail.

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E. E. BLACKWOOD, Freight and Pass. Agent, Gov't St., Victoria.
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Canadian Pacific

NAVIGATION

COMPANY, (LIMITED)

Time Table No. 9, Takes Effect Nov'r 1st, 1887

BURRARD INLET ROUTE

VICTORIA TO—

VANCOUVER AND MOODYVILLE, Daily, except Monday at 2 o'clock.

VANCOUVER TO VICTORIA, Daily, except Monday, at 13:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C. P. R. train.

NEW WESTMINSTER ROUTE.

LEAVE VICTORIA—

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER, LADNER'S LANDING AND LULU ISLAND, Tuesday at 9 o'clock; Thursday and Sunday at 7 o clock.

PLUMPER PASS, Sunday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER FOR VICTORIA, Monday at 13 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

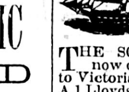
FOR PLUMPER PASS, Monday, at 13 o'clock.

FRASER RIVER ROUTE.

Steamers leave for NEW WESTMINSTER and CHILLIWHACK every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday at 7 a.m.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

G. A. CARLETON, Gen. Agent.
JOHN IRVING, Manager.
March 17th. jy25



For SALE

ON ARRIVAL.

THE SCHOONER "ANNIE C. MOORE" now on voyage from North Sydney, C.B., to Victoria, about 4 years old, 113 tons, classed A 1 Lloyds, built of oak and Hackmatack copper fastened.

The A. C. M. is a superior vessel and a fast sailer, being an ex-government cruiser. For further particulars apply to

WM. R. BROWN, Brown Bros., Yates St.

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1888.

Spring Assizes.

[*On Vancouver Island.*]

Victoria..........Monday ....21st May.
Nanaimo..........Tuesday....5th June.

[*On Mainland.*]

New Westminster. Wednesday. 2nd May.
Kamloops.........Monday ....4th June.
Clinton............Monday ....11th June.

Fall Assizes.

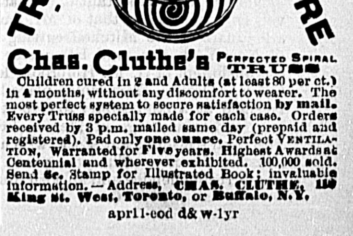
[*On Mainland.*]

Richfield..........Monday ....10th September.
Clinton............Wednesday. 26th September.
Kamloops.........Monday ....1st October.
Lytton.............Monday ....8th October.
New Westminster. Wednesday. 14th November.

[*On Vancouver Island.*]

Victoria..........Monday ....26th November.
Nanaimo..........Tuesday....4th December.

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The Colonist.

SUNDAY, APRIL 29, 1888.

SHIPPING.

ENTERED.

April 28th—
Str. Mexico, Port Townsend.
Str. Yosemite, Westminster.
Str. Rainbow, Westminster.
Str. Alaskan, Port Townsend.
Str. Princess Louise, Vancouver.

CLEARED.

April 28th—
Str. Mexico, San Francisco.
Str. Yosemite, Westminster.
Str. Rainbow, Westminster.
Str. Alaskan, Port Townsend.
Str. Princess Louise, Vancouver.
Barque Brier Holme, Vancouver.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str PRINCESS LOUISE, from Vancouver.—H P Hilborn, A P Tonelli, Thos Kerr, Gus Leiser, W F Bullen, G A Keefer, H Moss, Miss Frye, D Wilson, W Gordon, T D Ambridge, J McIntosh, W F McCullen, D Taylor, H Butler, Wah Hing, Hop Fat, T D Sorby, Hing Yong.

DEATH.

BELANGER.—In this city, April 27th, Malvina Belanger, aged 12 years and two months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Belanger, fruit dealers, Government Street.

The funeral will take place to-morrow morning from the residence, Government Street, at a quarter to nine, and from St. Andrew's pro-Cathedral at nine o'clock.

Thos. Catterall.

Builder and general contractor. P. O. Box 679, Victoria, B. C. *

Barnes' House,

Bastion Square, Victoria, B. C. New and elegant. Situated near the steamboat landings, with unsurpassed view of hills, bay and distant mountains. All rooms are light and sunny. Perfect ventilation. ap6-3m*

Drawing and Painting.

Lessons given at residence of pupils. S. MACLURE, Room 6, Bank B. C. * 1m

Seven More

Cases of fine boots and shoes arrived this day at Geo. H. Maynard's, Government street. *

Lawn Tennis Goods.

A fine assortment of lawn tennis goods just received at H. Short's, Fort Street. * 6t.

First-class Wrapping Paper can be obtained at M. W. Waitt & Co.'s.

A. C. WEST, Dentist, extracts teeth absolutely without pain, without the use of ether, chloroform or gas. No sickness, no bad after effects, and remember absolutely without pain; also does the most artistic and reliable dental work in the province. All operations warranted for 5 years.—Office, *Standard* Building, 3 doors south of P. O., Government St., Victoria. 1m *

The Great "Steck" Piano

Has arrived! ! ! The "acmo" of pianos! ! ! The finest of instruments imported to British Columbia. Call at Peters' ware rooms, Colonist Building, Victoria. † †

A LARGE stock of new style Carpets, Linoleums and Oilcloths for spring trade just received by John Weiler, Fort street. *

Ladies and Gentlemen

The best place to buy Garden ng Tools is at Cheapside. POWELL & Co. *

To the Ladies.

A large stock of WHITNEY'S CELEBRATED BABY CARRIAGES just received by John Weiler, Fort Street. *

Fishing Tackle.

M. & H. A. Fox have just received a large assortment of fishing tackle. Call and examine it. *

The New Plush Cretonnes.

Beautiful patterns in this stylish material for Curtains, &c., just received at the CIT HOUSE. *

The highest cash prices paid for ladies and gent's new and cast-off clothing. Note—Address S. Cooness, second door from Broad street, on Johnson. *

Removal.

Messrs. Jno. Barnsley & Co. have removed next to L. Goodacre's market, Government street, where will be found the largest and best assorted stock of Guns, Ammunition and Fishing Tackle in the province. †

The Remington Type Writer leads the world. These splendid machines can be seen at M. W. Waitt & Co.'s.

Music Boxes at WAITT'S Music Store. †

Now opening, at the Golden Rule Clothing Store, a very choice line of Children's Suits. *

Black Dress Materials a Specialty.

Ladies who wear Black from choice wil always find the most varied selection at the CITY HOUSE. *

Excelsior!

PROF. S. B. NETHERBY, graduate of the Toronto Royal School and the Belleville Business College, and a practical teacher of thirty years' experience, has been permanently engaged at the Victoria Business College. *

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Annie Pixley will be the next attraction at The Victoria.

Another and successful blast took place at the Nicol rock, Nanaimo harbor, on Thursday evening.

The attention of the public is called to the announcement of Messrs. McGregor, Knight and McKitrick in another column.

H. P. Ball, of Vancouver, will arrive in the city to-night, for the purpose of signing articles with Wm. Paine for a race in Esquimalt harbor.

Mr. Joseph Hoskin, of Vancouver, and Miss Lizzie Williams, of Nanaimo, were joined in the sacred bonds of matrimony at the "Black Diamond city" on Wednesday.

It is understood that Dr. Griffin is negotiating for the sale of the Sunday *Star*. The sale will probably be consummated to-morrow. The Dr. purposes issuing the *Star* as a society paper twice a week.

A meeting of temperance workers will be held in the Blue Ribbon hall on Wednesday evening next for the purpose of electing lay delegates to the Dominion Alliance Convention, to be held at Vancouver on the 16th May. The meeting commences at 8 o'clock p. m.

A horse attached to a spring wagon was left standing in front of THE COLONIST office for several hours last evening. It at last became impatient, and in a fair way of breaking its fastening, when a policeman came along and took it to the station.

One of the deck hands of the steamship Sardonyx, whilst at Westminster, missed his hold of the casting line and tumbled into the water. An Indian, who saw the accident, fished him out, the man being none the worse for his ducking beyond getting a slight chill.

Not the least important of the late arrivals from the east is that of Mr. Jackson, a graduate of the Mitchell cutting school of New York city, and late cutter in the establishment of G. M. Holbrook, leading tailor of Ottawa, from which place he was engaged at a large salary to come to Victoria and take charge of Messrs. Leask & Morrison's magnificent stock, which is the finest in the city. The young man comes highly recommended and all wish him well. *6t

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Indian Industrial Schools.

In the Senate, Hon. Mr. Macdonald will ask for correspondence between the Superintendent of Indian Affairs in B. C. and the government, on the subject of establishing industrial schools for Indians in B.C.

Land Slide.

The Pacific express on the C. P. R. encountered a land slide at Twin Bute yesterday and will not arrive at Vancouver until this evening. Mr. Edgar Marvin, Sr., and party are on that train. They were to have returned this evening, but will not arrive until to-morrow night on the Yosemite.

Steamboat Engineer.

Thos E. Bate, son of Mayor Bate, of Nanaimo, passed his first examination as a steamboat engineer before Mr. Russell, steamboat inspector, and a few days ago he received his certificate from the department at Ottawa. Mr. Bate, who is one of Nanaimo's best sons, is to be congratulated on his success.

Polled-Angus.

Calgary *Tribune*: We understand that Mr. F. S. Barnard, of B.C., puchased Proud Prince, one of the Polled-Angus two-year-old bulls, for $400, and intends placing him on his ranche at Kamloops. Piper, who is a half-brother to the famous Dexter, will probably go to the same district.

From San Francisco.

The following are the passengers by the Mexico from San Francisco: Mrs. Pittock, Sing Wood, E. W. McCoy, E. W. McLean, Mack Yuen, C. E. Cummings, Capt. W. E. May, D. Aiton, Wm. Keifer, A. Weil and wife, L. E. Liquime, Miss M. Cridge, J. Whaley.

For San Francisco.

Following is a list of the passengers who left this city yesterday for San Francisco on the steamer Mexico:—Kethe Calvert, Sister Joseph, Sister Pauline, Sister Stephen, Peter Marquhart, J. Dassonville, Mrs. Geo. Williams, Miss S. Williams, Mrs. J. Theall, Mrs. S. E. Lightcap, G. Ertel, and twelve in the steerage.

A Cow Run Down.

As the train from Victoria was entering the station at Nanaimo on Friday, it ran down a cow belonging to Mr. S. Price. The cow came on the track at Prideaux street and engineer Garland whistled and slowed down, but it did not move and the locomotive knocked it off the track. It was so badly injured that the owner was obliged to kill it.

The Pacific Cable.

The *Empire's* London cable says: The impression prevails here that the British annexation of Fanning, Christmas, and Penhryn islands in the Pacific, indicates that the Pacific survey, which always regarded the annexation as essential to establish the practicability of a Pacific cable, is about to be undertaken. It is alleged that apart from the commercial value of the cable, the Imperial government realizes that it would serve to bring several British naval stations within touch of each other.

Rock Creek Wants.

T. Elliott, secretary of a miner's meeting held at Rock Creek, has forwarded resolutions passed at that meeting recommending that the record books be kept at Camp McKinney, and that the mining recorder be also stationed permanently at that camp, instead of at Kettle river. The present place of record is highly inconvenient. The present recorder, Mr. Nicholson, is highly commended as an officer. The necessity of a gold commissioner holding court at the camp is also referred to. The resolutions have been forwarded to the Minister of Mines.

Blue Ribbon Club.

Last evening the meeting opened at 8 o'clock by the choir singing, under the leadership of Prof. Sharpe, "We are Marching to Zion," and followed with prayer by the chairman, Mr. Henry Rudge; "He Came to Bethany," by the choir. Mr. Richard Roper then delivered a short address; instrumental solo by Master Frank Penwill; Mr. Nelson sang "For I am Seventy-two," and was *encored*; "The Old Oaken Bucket," by the choir. After intermission the choir sang "In the Sweet Now and Now"; Mr. Hyman then favored the audience with a song which also received an *encore*. The meeting then closed with the choir singing "God Save the Queen."

A Fine Book.

Our province is becoming famous abroad for big things in the agricultural and other lines. Now it appears we are making an excellent showing amongst our manufacturers. The large home made blank book in Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co.'s window, Government Street, is a splendid specimen of the book-binder's art. The ruling and binding are both excellent. The weight is eighty pounds, 1256 pages, and measures when closed 22½x20 inches on the flat, and is by far the largest blank book ever made in the province. The book is from the factory of Mr. R. T. Williams, whose productions are known all over British Columbia, and will be used by the Bank of British Columbia, whose increase of business demands every improvement.

Police Court.

Kenneth McLeod, charged with refusing duty on board the schooner Mary Ellen, was discharged. Mr. Mills appeared for the prosecution.

Dick, an Indian, was fined five dollars for being drunk.

James Crowley, for the same offense, paid a similar sum into the city coffers.

A vagrant of long standing, named Henry Soar, was given two months' hard labor in the provincial gaol.

The case of Ah Sing, charged with entering Canada without complying with the provisions of the Chinese Restriction act, was the next one brought up.

Mr. J. P. Walls, who represented the defence, contended that the act was unconstitutional.

Mr. Wilson said that the act applies to persons of Chinese origin.

His honor said the man was liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment for a term, not exceeding twelve months. He thought that the question would now arise whether sailors on foreign vessels can come ashore in this province.

Mr. Wilson swore to the information being true and asked his honor to grant a remand.

A remand was allowed until Tuesday next and the defendant was admitted to bail in the sum of $250.

Lizzie Howard did not appear to answer to a charge of vagrancy, but Mr. Stuart pleaded guilty in her behalf. The woman was sent for and fined $5.

"The American Bookmaker."

The April number of this magazine is filled to overflowing with information of the highest value to the printing, bookbinding and kindred trades. A short sketch of Henry Sandham, formerly of Montreal, now of Boston, is given, together with his portrait. Many Canadians will remember him as having been a partner of the celebrated firm of Notman & Co., Montreal. Mr. Sandham is now one of the leading artists of Boston, and as painter and illustrator excels. To the bookbinder the work is specially valuable for the newest cover designs and latest methods are always treated and illustrated by the *Bookmaker*. Its reading matter deals with every part of the routine necessary in preparing, printing, illustrating and binding books, interspersed with prehistorical articles on the various trades. Every printer, binder and stationer would receive benefit from its careful perusal. Published by Howard Lockwood & Co., 126 Duane street, New York City. Subscription price, $2 per annum.

High School Examination.

Names in order of merit of high school pupils who made over 50 per cent.: *English History*—Misses Johnston, Fraser, Fawcett, Master Gibbs, Misses Withrow, Powell, Lee, Workman, Pickard, Mobius, Master Miller, Misses Askew, Carr, Master Gardiner. *Philosophy*—Master Gibbs, Misses Johnston, Pickard, Carr, Fraser, Withrow, Masters Miller, Francis, Misses Powell, Askew, Master Powell, Misses Lee, Robertson, Fawcett, Lettice. *Geography, over seventy per cent.*—Misses Withrow, Fraser, Master Gibbs, Misses Powell, Watson, Master Gardiner, Miss Mobius, Master McDowell, Misses Ure, Johnston, Newbury, Tite. *English literature*—Misses Pickard, Lee. *Latin*—(junior division)—Misses Fraser, Jeffree, Masters Hayward, Lawson, Higgins, Misses Pickard, Davey L. Master Heisterman, Miss Rattray, Master Finlayson, W. H.

The American Club in London.

Among the many burning questions which yet remain to be settled between the United States and Great Britain, none have caused more dissatisfaction in social circles on the other side of the Atlantic than the lack of reciprocity shown by us in the matter of club hospitality. To the English gentleman every club in New York is open; but the citizen of the United States, on arrival in London, finds the portals of the leading clubs in Pall Mall sealed doors. Distinguished men, it is true, are made honorary members of the Athenæum; but it is not every one who can find exuberant joviality within its walls. Our countrymen who have resided in America, struck by the very one sided nature of the club treaty existing between the two countries, have recently started a fresh addition to the many London clubs. The American club aims at affording a meeting place in London for all men interested in the western hemisphere. Here members of the Pacific club at San Francisco, of the Manitoba club at Winnipeg, of the Cercle des Etrangers at Rio, the Knickerbocker at New York and the Turf in Piccadilly meet on terms of perfect equality.—St. James' Gazette.

Preservation of Negatives.

The best way to hold a person or keep track of him is in the possession of a good negative. Or her would do better, as there are more illustrations of the truth of this remark in the case of women. I have had a great deal of experience in this line and have never known it to fail, and for that reason I am always very particular to preserve negatives. They are better than bail bonds. I have negatives of a number of people now who have left the city and who want their friends to forget them, and to that end have very carefully avoided allowing those friends to know where they are or which way they had gone. Yet I hear from them frequently by means of orders for pictures printed off of such and such a negative. I have know of people missing for months, and even for years, and whose friends had given up the search for them, to write to their photographers for pictures off of an old negative.—Photographer in Globe-Democrat.

CRICKET.

The High School Club Win the Final Match.

Yesterday afternoon the High School and James Bay elevens met at Beacon Hill, to contest the final match. As will be seen by the score appended, the former eleven won, having a majority of thirteen runs. The match was well played and, although the James Bays did not win, they made a plucky resistance. The High School club will challenge other teams during the season.

HIGH SCHOOL.

1st Innings.		*2nd Innings.*	
Higgins b Anderson	36	b Anderson	11
Baker b McLeod	1	c and b Anderson	1
Humber c Spring b Anderson	8	b Anderson	0
Gardiner b Anderson	3	b McLeod	1
Becker b Anderson	0	Run out	0
McKenzie c Smith b Anderson	0	b McLeod	6
Partridge c Jackson b Anderson	4	c McLeod b Anderson	9
Courtenay c Angus b Anderson	1	Not out	0
Ure, not out	1	c and b Anderson	0
Dodds b Anderson	0	b Anderson	0
Phillips c McLeod b Anderson	0	b Anderson	0
Extras	3	Extras	0
Total	57	Total	28
Grand Total			85

JAMES BAY.

1st Innings		*2nd Innings*	
McLeod b McKenzie	1	b McKenzie	2
F Smith, run out	3	b McKenzie	1
Anderson	15	c Ure, b McKenzie	12
Moore c Baker b Higgins	2	b McKenzie	4
Jackson b McKenzie	0	c Partridge b McKenzie	18
Spring c Humber b Higgins	0	c Humber b McKenzie	2
Wolfenden b Higgins	0	c Partridge b McKenzie	0
Tiedemann c Ure b Higgins	2	b Higgins	1
Angus c and b Higgins	2	c and b McKenzie	3
A Smith, run out	0	Not out	0
McDowell b Higgins	0	c Partridge b McKenzie	0
Extras	3	Extras	1
Total	28	Total	41
Grand Total			72

PERSONAL.

G. Leiser returned from the mainland last night.

Judge Atkinson returned to Westminster this morning.

Mayor Oppenheimer returned to Vancouver this morning.

F. C. Ambridge, travelling auditor of the C. P. R., is at the Driard.

R. Brodrick, jr., leaves to-morrow by the Olympian for San Francisco.

D. Wilson, inspector of schools, and T. C. Sorby have returned to the city from the mainland.

G. A. Keefer, Thos. Kerr, W. F. Bullen and W. Gordon were passengers from Vancouver last night by the Louise.

J. J. Honeyman, of Baird & Honeyman, Farara farm, Comox, came down by yesterday's train and intends staying a few days in the city, on business bent.

Montague Chamberlain, the well-known New Brunswick naturalist, is on his way to this province. He has been engaged by a New York millionaire to secure for him a cabinet of birds, and other national history specimens. Prior to leaving the commercial capital of the province by the Atlantic, he was banquetted by his friends.

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NA WYSPIE VANCOUVER.

On the Island of Vancouver.

In one of the largest papers published under the grim authority of the Czar, the Warsaw *Wiek*, there appears a description of the Island of Vancouver, and especially of the city of Victoria, by Mr. M. Lopatecki, lately of the United States ocean survey in Spanish America and now a resident of this city. The first part of the description appeared on March 24th, the second part, not yet finished, bears the date of 30th of March. The author does justice to our fair city and its genial inhabitants. In glowing terms he describes the beauties of our position, the moral and religious character of our citizens and the proverbial hospitality of British Columbia. He compares the town of Victoria to cities of the same size in California, and says as follows:

"Where in the United States, and especially in California, the revolver plays a very important *role*, here, in Victoria, we seldom hear about a murder or rascality. In the cities of Sunny California there is a certain class of people, the so-called hoodlums, who live no one knows how, and who are the terror of the peaceful inhabitants; here, in Victoria, the existence of such a class would be impossible," etc.

Further, the author describes the social life in Victoria—as much of it as it came under his observation—and is rather astonished that cultured as they are, the inhabitants know but very little about the *literateurs* of countries like France, Germany, Spain, Italy or Russia. "It is hardly possible," he says, "to discuss with them the merits of Folstoy, Daudet, Manzoni or Valera, they do not care about the foreigners, and in that respect they are different from the Americans, yet they are so admirably posted in English literature that one easily forgets their other deficiencies." "After all," says the author, "they have a right to be proud of their mother country, for is not Old England the envy of all nations and terror of all neighbors, and the nation which has the spiritual and immortal works of George Elliot can be pardoned if it overlooks the products of other nations."

With, perhaps, the exception of this remark about the literature, the description of Victoria is very sympathetic, and the author cannot find words enough to express his admiration of the excellent qualities of the Victorians. In his estimation the Island of Vancouver will in a hundred years from now be another England, transplanted from the Old World on the shores of the Pacific of this continent.

LATE CANADIAN NEWS.

ONTARIO.

Mrs. Morse, recently from Milton, fell off a Toronto street car and fractured her skull. She was not expected to live.

A boy named Brisker was pushed from a street-car at Ottawa on Saturday by driver Otto Schlinger. He fell under the car-wheels which passed over him almost cutting him in two. He suffered great agony and died. Schlinger has been arrested.

A meeting of the creditors of C. Richardson & Co., picklers of canned goods, Toronto, granted the firm an extension of 3, 6, 9 and 13 months. Their liabilities are $77,000, and assets $100,000. The closing of the Federal bank caused their difficulty.

Mrs. Awde, a widow of Wm. Awde, butcher of Crockton, died suddenly on Wednesday night. A doctor was called in and said death resulted from bronchitis. On Thursday Inspector Awde, of Toronto, was informed and visited the house for the purpose of discovering if the deceased was any relation of his, and identified her as his sister-in-law, who recently married a decrepit old man. The inspector will have an inquiry made, as he fears foul play.

F. A. May, a farmer residing at the Fifteen-Mile creek, near St. Catherines, a stream emptying into Lake Ontario, found on the shore portions of a human body, consisting of part of a skull to which an ear and some hair was attached, a shoulder blade and part of the vertebræ. The remains were those of a female, and it is supposed they are those of one of the young ladies who were blown out into the lake in an open boat last year from Lorne park, and no trace of whom was subsequently discovered.

QUEBEC.

Noonan, Giblin & Co., dry goods merchants, Montreal, have assigned, with liabilities of $35,000; assets, $12,000.

It is proposed to hold a world's fair in Montreal in 1892, in which year will occur the 250th anniversary of the founding of the city.

The penalty actions against Sir A. P. Caron were thrown out on a preliminary objection by Chief Justice Stuart in the Quebec supreme court.

Philip Lynch, from Westpoint, Ont., while bathing in the river at White Sulpher Springs, had a fit and drowned before he could be rescued.

The residence of S. W. Beard, Montreal, was totally gutted by fire Friday night. Owing to the negligence of the fire brigade the loss amounted to $12,000.

It is said the mysterious disappearance of Wm. Ahern, secretary of the Montreal Pharmaceutical association, is due to mental troubles, as his accounts were found all right.

St. Pierre and other counsel retained by Naegele and Bureau are preparing a petition to the court for a change of *venue*, on the ground that it is impossible to empanel an unprejudiced jury in Montreal.

Mr. Beaugrand, having sent a telegram to General Boulanger congratulating him on his election, has received the following reply: "A thousand thanks for Canadian sympathies. Hurrah for France! Hurrah for the Republic! General Boulanger."

Nominations for the vacant seats in the local house took place Saturday. In Hochelaga J. O. Villeneuve, conservative, and Champagne, nationalist, were nominated; in Maskinonge, Caron, conservative, and Legris, nationalist; and in Missisquoi, Spencer, conservative, and McCorkell, nationalist. Polling took place Saturday.

P. E. Gavin, a well-known retail grocer of Montreal, has disappeared. It is believed he has gone to New York. He leaves liabilities in the neighborhood of $50,000, of which $20,000 is due the Hochelaga Bank. Some months ago his establishment was burnt out for which he received $6,000 insurance, and by sales afterwards realized quite a pile of money. His departure was quite a surprise and caused a decided sensation.

NOVA SCOTIA.

Rev. Mr. Courtney, Bishop elect of Nova Scotia, arrived at Yarmouth from Boston, and preached his first sermon in his new diocese there on Sunday. He was consecrated on Wednesday by the Metropolitan.

The wife of Wm. Ebine, ex-provincial cashier, fell dead while entering St. Paul's church, Halifax, of heart disease. She was 67 years old.

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MARINE.

Tug Pilot left for Comox at noon yesterday.

Steamer Mexico sailed from the outer wharf yesterday at 1 p. m. for San Francisco.

Collier Antonio is loading coal at Wellington for San Francisco. She will be ready for sea to-day.

Steamer Wellington sailed from San Francisco on Thursday for Wellington for a return cargo of coal.

Steamer Cariboo Fly sailed for the north yesterday afternoon with large freight and passenger lists.

Steamer Geo. W. Elder, Capt. Hunter, sailed for Alaska from Nanaimo on Friday, having taken on 500 tons of coal there.

British iron bark Argyleshire will leave London on June 1st for this port under consignment to Turner, Beeton & Co. See their advertisement.

Steamer Jennie, from San Francisco, arrived at East Wellington on Thursday evening, and is now loading a return cargo of 1,600 tons of coal.

British bark Brier Holme was towed to Moodyville yesterday by the tug Alexander, where she will load lumber for the west coast of South America.

Barkentine Constitution, which sailed from San Francisco on the 24th for Chemainus, returned to port on the 25th on account of heavy north-west winds.

One half of the cargo of lumber which the bark Pietro B. is now loading at Hastings mills is destined for Noumea, in New Caledonia, one of the New Hebrides Islands, and the remainder for Sydney, N. S. W.



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